

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in this application.

### **Listing of Claims:**

#### **Claims 1-4 (Canceled)**

**Claim 5. (Currently Amended):** A well screen, comprising:  
~~a sidewall of the well screen including a material; and~~  
an innermost tubular member having a sidewall including a material;  
and  
at least one line embedded in the sidewall material,  
the sidewall material being nonmetallic,  
flow passages being formed through the sidewall, and  
the well screen further comprising a generally tubular  
protective shield lining each of the flow passages.

**Claim 6. (Currently Amended):** A well screen, comprising:  
a sidewall of the well screen including a material;  
at least one line embedded in the sidewall material, the sidewall  
material being nonmetallic;  
flow passages formed through the sidewall;  
a generally tubular protective shield structure lining each of the flow  
passages the shield structure having a fixed geometry configuration and

an outer side surface, and extending substantially entirely through its associated flow passage; and

a flexible retainer disposed between each shield and the respective flow passage, the flexible retainer surrounding essentially the entire outer side surface of its associated shield structure.

**Claim 7 (Canceled)**

**Claim 8. (Currently Amended):** A well screen, comprising:

a sidewall of the well screen including a material;  
a perforated tubular inner body portion having a sidewall including a material;

at least one line embedded in the sidewall material; and  
a perforated tubular outer jacket outwardly circumscribing the inner body portion; and

a filter media, the filter media being inflatably expandable in a wellbore

an inflation member removably disposed between the inner body portion and the outer jacket portion, the inflation member being inflatable expandable in a wellbore, by pressurizing the interior of the inner body portion, to radially expand the outer jacket away from the inner body portion into engagement with the wellbore.

**Claim 9 (Canceled)**

**Claim 10. (Currently Amended):** A well screen, comprising:  
~~a sidewall of the well screen including a material;~~  
an innermost perforated tubular member having a sidewall including  
a material;  
at least one line embedded in the sidewall material; and  
at least one sensor connected to the line, ~~the sensor sensing a~~  
~~parameter external to the well screen.~~

**Claims 11-14 (Canceled)**

**Claim 15. (Currently Amended):** A well screen, comprising:  
~~a sidewall of the well screen including a material; and~~  
an innermost perforated tubular member having a sidewall including  
a material; and  
at least one line embedded in the side wall material, ~~the line being a~~  
~~fiber optic line.~~

**Claims 16-83 (Canceled)**

**Claim 84 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 15,  
wherein the line extends generally longitudinally through the sidewall.

**Claim 85 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 15,  
further comprising a filter media, and wherein the filter media is recessed  
in the sidewall.

**Claim 86 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 15,  
wherein the sidewall is nonmetallic.

**Claim 87 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 86, wherein flow passages are formed through the sidewall, and further comprising a generally tubular protective shield lining each of the flow passages.

**Claim 88 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 87, further comprising a flexible retainer disposed between each shield and the respective flow passage.

**Claim 89 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 86, wherein the sidewall material is a composite material.

**Claim 90 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 15, further comprising a filter media, and wherein the filter media is expandable in a wellbore.

**Claim 91 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 15, further comprising at least one sensor connected to the line.

**Claim 92 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 91, wherein the sensor senses a parameter internal to the well screen.

**Claim 93 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 91, wherein the sensor senses a parameter internal to the well screen.

**Claim 94 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 15, further comprising an actuator connected to the line.

**Claim 95 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 15, further comprising a flow control device connected to the line.

**Claim 96 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 15, wherein the line is a selected one of a communication line, an injection line, a power line, a control line and a monitoring line.

**Claim 97 (Newly Presented):** The well screen according to Claim 15, wherein the line is a selected one of a hydraulic line, an electrical line and a fiber optic line.